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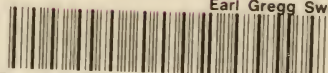


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# EARL GREGG SWEM

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# INTRODUCTION

IT IS always a happy occasion to pay tribute to one who has spent his life in the pursuit of knowledge. This bibliography of the writings of Earl Gregg Swem, has been compiled and published by the College of William and Mary in Virginia in honor of his 90th birthday and in recognition of his scholarly contributions. Although its function is not merely pedagogical, this bibliography, it is hoped, will serve as a model to librarians, historians, educators and students of American culture who are concerned with the ways and means of encouraging scholarship. From the writings of Earl Gregg Swem we may come to appreciate the role of the bibliographer and his brothers of the spade whose labors and devotion are necessary prerequisites for the full and meaningful interpretation of the past.

Earl Gregg Swem was born in Belle Plain, Iowa, on December 29, 1870. At the age of seventeen, during a vacation from high school, he was, in his own words, "a general office boy and library factotum" in the Iowa Masonic Library, at Cedar Rapids. The librarian, fortunately, was "a man of liberal culture, a real scholar in his particular field . . . and a born collector of books, pamphlets and manuscripts." What better teacher could one have? After his graduation from Lafayette College (class of 1893), he taught "Greek, French, and so forth" in a preparatory school in New York State, then commenced—or rather continued—his library career at the John Crerar Library (1899) and at the library of Armour Institute (1901-1902), now Illinois Institute of Technology. From 1903 to 1907 he was Chief, Cataloging Division, Copyright Office.

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During the next twelve years he was in Richmond, Virginia, as Assistant Librarian of the Virginia State Library. In the summer of 1920, he came to the College of William and Mary as Librarian under the inspiring leadership of Dr. J. A. C. Chandler. In 1944, it has been alleged, Dr. Swem retired. But instead of backing into the nebulous position of "Librarian Emeritus," he has continued, if not enlarged, his interest in life and in books.

But these biographical details are only incidental. After all, the real criterion of the success of a bibliographer is how often his works are used—I should say how often his works are used without acknowledgement, for the work of a good bibliographer like that of a good poet soon falls unto the public domain. There can be little doubt that the technique of Virginia history today—perhaps its very structure—would be much different were it not for such landmarks as *The Bibliography of Virginia* and the *Virginia Historical Index*—not to mention such famous Swem tools as his work on Virginia maps, Virginia constitutional conventions, the twenty-three volumes of the *William and Mary Quarterly*, Second Series, the twenty-three numbers of the *Jamestown 350th Anniversary Historical Booklets*, and dozens of equally important contributions which have made life easier and more enjoyable for his fellow students.

This volume attempts to bring together the many bibliographical, editorial, and historical writings of Earl Gregg Swem, together with references to selected reviews of his major works, published works containing prefatory and introductory material by him, and a few historical works dedicated to him.

A few references to items of biographical interest also have been included. All entries are arranged by the title of the work (if by EGS) or the author (if not), under date of publication.

"Virtutis laus omnis in actione consistit."

JAMES A. SERVIES

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Finding list of American history. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 1 (July 1908), [137]-291.

"... as long as the [Virginia State] library is being cataloged, the bulletins will be in the main finding lists of the various classes of books. As each section is catalogued, a finding list of the books of that section will be issued ... For all usual purposes the finding lists put together will be a printed book catalogue of the library ... " Virginia State Library, *Fifth Annual Report* (Richmond, 1908), 17-18.

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1910

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"This bibliography presents the titles of the two following classes of publications relating to the conventions and constitutions of Virginia: *First*, official documents, such as bills and

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Finding list of the social sciences, political science, law, and education. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 3 (January, April, July 1910), [3]-352.

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#### 1911

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A list of the official publications of the Confederate States government in the Virginia State Library and the Library of the Confederate Memorial Literary Society [compiled under the direction of E. G. Swem]. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 4 (January 1911), [9]-72.

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A record of Virginia copyright entries (1790-1844) [compiled by E. G. Swem]; with an introduction by J. H. Whitty. Richmond: Davis Bottom, Superintendent of Public Printing, 1911. 52 p.

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Virginia State Library. Legislative Reference Lists, 1912 . . . Compiled by Earl G. Swem, Assistant State Librarian. Richmond, 1911. 70 p.

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A list of manuscripts recently deposited in the Virginia State Library by the State Auditor. Compiled by Earl G. Swem, Assistant Librarian. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 7 (January 1914), [1]-32.

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Of much interest also . . . is the collection of George Rogers Clark papers . . . including much of the very highest value in the history of the Northwest," p. 4.

Review: *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 22 (April 1914), 223-24.

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"Introductory note," [37]-39. "This bulletin contains the titles of the manuscript and published maps relating to Virginia in the Virginia State Library, in the archives of the Virginia Corporation Commission (the successor of the Board of Public Works), in the Auditor's office, and in the files of the Virginia geological survey."

In addition to maps of the Library of Congress, maps of several other libraries not in Virginia are included.

Review: *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 22 (January 1915), 108-9.

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#### 1915

A bibliography of Virginia. Part I. Containing the titles of books in the Virginia State Library which relate to Virginia and Virginians, the titles of those books written by Virginians, and of those printed in Virginia; but not including the titles of the official editions of the laws, of the journals of the legislative bodies, of the reports of administrative officers, and other published official documents. By Earl G. Swem, Assistant Librarian. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 8 (April, July, October 1915), [31]-767.

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[Review of] William Branch Giles; a study in the politics of Virginia and the nation from 1790 to 1830. By Dice Robins Anderson. Menasha, Wis., George Banta Pub. Co., 1914. *Richmond Virginian*, March 21, 1915.

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A description of a document among those deposited in the Virginia State Library which illustrates the extent of work done on the road in 1780.

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"Historical note": [291]-92.

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Letters on the condition of Kentucky in 1825; reprinted from the Richmond Enquirer. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Assistant Librarian, Virginia State Library. New York, Printed for C. F. Heartman, 1916. 76 p.

Heartman's historical series, No. 22.

"Seven copies printed on Japan vellum. Also 66 copies printed on Fabriano hand-made paper."

"Foreword," 7-8.

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Report of library committee [of the Richmond Education Association]. Richmond Education Association, *Sixteenth Annual Report* (1915/16), 14-16.

"Earl G. Swem, Dr. D. R. Anderson, Mrs. George L. Street, Committee."

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### 1917

A bibliography of Virginia. Part II. Containing the titles of the printed official documents of the Commonwealth, 1776-1916. By Earl G. Swem, Assistant Librarian. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 10 (January, April, July, October 1917), [1]-x, [1]-1404 p.

"Introduction," [v]-ix.

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Among the many appendices, the following are of special interest: "Documents of the United States published by the Commonwealth of Virginia" (Appendix H), 1063; "References to some of the acts and documents relating to the subject of public printing" (Appendix W), 1075; "A checklist of Journals of the House of Delegates" (Appendix Y), 1076-77; "A checklist of the Journals of the Senate" (Appendix Z), 1077-78; "A checklist of the Session laws" (Appendix AA), 1079-80; "A checklist of the annual and extra-session messages of the Governors [printed by the Commonwealth]" (Appendix BB), 1080-81; and, "Public printers—1776-1918" (Appendix CC), 1082.

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The disqualification of ministers in State constitutions. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 1), v. 26 (October 1917), [73]-78.

[35]

[Review of] Confederate literature.—A list of books and newspapers, maps, music, and miscellaneous matter printed in the South during the Confederacy, now in the Boston Athenaeum. Prepared by Charles N. Baxter and James M. Dearborn . . . *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 25 (July 1917), 335-36.

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*Richmond College Historical Papers* . . . edited by Dice R. Anderson. v. 2, no. 1 (June 1917).

This issue dedicated "To Earl Gregg Swem, Assistant Librarian of the State Library of Virginia, in recognition of his

accurate and comprehensive scholarship and his helpful service to students of History and Social Science in general, and in particular appreciation of his untiring interest in the labors of the students of Richmond College as well of his friends, the Editor of this volume, the third issue of the *Richmond College Historical Papers* is gratefully dedicated."

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1918

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Includes references "only to original contributions and to reprinted papers from Southern periodicals."

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[Rankin, David] A letter from New Madrid [Missouri], 1789: [Edited] by E. G. Swem. [Cedar Rapids, Ia., 1918] 7 p.



Signed by David Rankin, George M'Cully, John Ward, and others.

Reprinted from the *Mississippi Valley Historical Review*, v. 5 (December 1918), 342-46. Text of the original in *Virginia Gazette and Weekly Advertiser* (Richmond), August 27, 1789. [41]

A register of the General Assembly of Virginia, 1776-1918, and of the constitutional conventions. By Earl G. Swem, Assistant State Librarian, and John W. Williams, Clerk of the House of Delegates. Richmond, Davis Bottom, Superintendent of Public Printing, 1918. 450 p.

Originally issued as a part of the Virginia State Library. *Fourteenth Annual Report* (1916-1917); also issued separately. [42]

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Correspondence of Col. William Aylett, Commissary General of Virginia [with prefatory note by] Earl G. Swem, Assistant State Librarian. *Tyler's Quarterly Historical and Genealogical Magazine*, v. 1 (October 1919), 87-110; (January 1920), [145]-61. [44]

Randolph, John, 1727-1784 (*Supposed author*). Considerations on the present state of Virginia; attributed to John Randolph, Attorney General; and, Considerations of the present state of Virginia examined, by Robert Carter Nicholas. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Assistant Librarian, Virginia State Library. New York, C. F. Heartman, 1919. 83 p.

Heartman's historical series, no. 32.

"63 copies printed on Nippon vellum. Also seven copies printed on Japan vellum, and eleven copies printed for Mr. Earl Gregg Swem."

Includes photographic reproductions of title-pages of original pamphlets.

"Grateful acknowledgments due to the officials of the Library of Congress and of the New York Public Library for their assistance in the reprinting of these two pamphlets. Mr. W. G. Stanard, of the Virginia Historical Society, has helped in verifying the date of Nicholas," [7].

"Preface [and Notes]." [9]-14.

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1920

[Dawson, William, 1704-1752] Poems on several occasions, by a gentleman of Virginia. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem. New York: Reprinted for C. F. Heartman, 1920. 4 p. (reprint: iv, 5-30 p.)

Heartman's historical series no. 33.

"61 copies printed on handmade paper. Also seven Japan Paper copies printed."

With reproduction of original title page (with autograph of George Washington): "Williamsburg, Printed and sold by William Parks, M,DCC,XXVI."

"Introduction," [1]-[3]. "The first collection of poems printed in Virginia. The copy from which the present volume is reprinted, is in the Boston Athenaeum, and is the only copy known to be extant."

Attributed to the Reverend William Dawson, president of William and Mary College, by Harold L. Dean (*Papers of the Bibliographical Society of America*, v. 31 (1937), pt. 1, pp.

10-20). The following letter from Mr. Dean to Dr. Swem, February 24, 1937, is included in the William and Mary Library copy of this work: "I want to thank you for your kind response to my inquiry about John Markland, and in calling my attention to the *Virginia Gazette*, . . . you enabled me to identify the author of *Poems on several occasions. By a gentleman of Virginia*. In the issue of the *Gazette* for December 10th, 1736, I found a poem which stated in the title that it was written by a gentleman from Virginia. Since its style was like that of the poems which Parks issued in 1736, it seemed probable that the same man must have written this poem. Fortunately, I found the same poem over the name of William Dawson in the *London Magazine* for December 1736."

The poems were also printed, with a bibliographical note, by Ralph L. Rusk: New York, Facsimile Text Society, 1930.  
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A list of the portraits and pieces of statuary in the Virginia State Library; with notes and illustrations. Virginia State Library, *Bulletin*, v. 13 (January, April 1920), [1]-29 (illustrations interleaved).

"This bulletin is . . . merely a second edition [of *A list of the portraits and pieces of statuary in the Virginia State Library, with biographical notes*: by Earl G. Swem], revised, and enlarged by the addition of notes in reference to the portraits . . . which have been acquired in the past few years" (Prefatory note [by] H. R. McIlwaine, State Librarian, [4]).

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1921

[Mitchell, N.] A letter on the Illinois country to Alexander Hamilton, 1792; [with notes] by E. G. Swem. [Cedar Rapids, Ia., 1921]. 3 p.

Reprinted from the *Mississippi Valley Historical Review*, v. 8 (December 1921), 264-66.

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William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine. Second series, v. 1, no. 1 (January 1921) [to v. 23, no. 4 (October 1943)]. Williamsburg, The College of William and Mary, 1921-43. 23 v.

Editors: J. A. C. Chandler, John Stewart Bryan and J. E. Pomfret, Presidents; E. G. Swem, Librarian.

"The limitations which hedge in an editor of a local historical periodical prevent him from making any one number of such unusual interest that it becomes a literary sensation and a 'best seller.' Continuity of publication, abundance and variety of source material and original contributions which show the result of research in neglected fields, determine largely the usefulness of a periodical of this character. . . . The present editors will endeavor to develop an interest in Virginia history, by publishing such documentary material and original contributions in history, biography and genealogy, as will shed new light upon the past." (*Editorial* [by Earl G. Swem], v. 1, p. 72).

Indexed through 1930 in the *Virginia Historical Index*.

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Notes relating to some of the students who attended the College of William and Mary, 1753-1770. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 1 (January 1921), 27-41.

"The main authorities for names of students . . . are the Faculty Book of Minutes, from 1729 to 1784, and three Bursar's books, 1753 to 1777."

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Vital facts about Jamestown, Yorktown, Williamsburg [and the] College of William and Mary. Prepared by students of the College [and edited by E. G. Swem, Librarian] in honor of the attendance of the President of the United States and distinguished educators at the formal installation of Dr. J. A. C. Chandler as President of the College, October 19, 1921. [Williamsburg, 1921]. [4] p.

See also editions of 1924, 1928 and 1935.

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## 1922

Bland, Richard (1710-1776). An inquiry into the rights of the British colonies, by Richard Bland, of Virginia. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College. Williamsburg, 1766; Richmond, Reprinted by the Appeals Press, 1922. ix, 37 p.

William Parks club publications, no. 1. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College.

"An edition of 190 copies."

Includes reprint of original title page: *An inquiry into the rights of the British colonies, intended as an answer to the regulations lately made concerning the colonies, and the taxes imposed upon them considered. In a letter addressed to the author of that pamphlet. By Richard Bland, of Virginia.* . . . Williamsburg: Printed by Alexander Purdie, & Co. MDCCLXVI.

"Appendix; titles of books to which Bland refers in his notes," [33]-37.

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Byrd, William (1674-1744). Description of the Dismal Swamp

and a proposal to drain the swamp, by William Byrd of Westover. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian, College of William and Mary. Metuchen, N. J., Printed for C. F. Heartman, 1922. 32 p.

Heartman's historical series, no. 38.

"61 copies printed. Also five copies printed on Japan paper."

"Introductory note." 7-13.

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Meredith, Hugh (b. 1697?) An account of the Cape Fear country, 1731, by Hugh Meredith. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian of the College of William and Mary. Perth Amboy, N. J., Reprinted for C. F. Heartman, 1922. 29 p.

Heartman's historical series, no. 36.

"Sixty-seven copies printed. Also six copies printed on Japan paper."

"Introduction," 7-12.

A reprint of extracts from two letters written to Benjamin Franklin and printed by him in the *Pennsylvania Gazette*, April 29, and May 6, 1731.

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Some notes relative to gifts to distinguished citizens, principally Virginians, authorized by the General Assembly, or Council of Virginia, 1780 to 1860. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 2 (April 1922), [97]-100.

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Description of the mace [of the College of William and Mary].



*William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 3 (April 1923), 126-28.

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A letter addressed to Rev. A. A. Hughes, reprinted from the American-Welsh newspaper *Y Drych*, on the Welsh poet's connection with the College of William and Mary.

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Letters from John Marshall to his wife [1797-1831] *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 3 (April 1923), [73]-90.

"From manuscripts in the Library of Congress."

[57]

Miscellanea from the Virginia Gazette of Dixon & Hunter, February 25, 1775. Contributed by Earl G. Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College. *Sons of the Revolution in the State of Virginia Quarterly Magazine*, v. 2 (October 1923), 16-21.

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Some extracts from Purdies, Va., Gazette of 1775. (Contributed by E. G. Swem, Librarian, William & Mary College.) *Sons of the Revolution in the State of Virginia Quarterly Magazine*, v. 2 (July 1923), 8-14.

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Some historical notes of Tidewater Virginia; the early history and development of the country from Cape Henry to the National Capital. By E. G. Swem, Librarian, William and

Mary College. In: Swepson Earle, *The Chesapeake Bay Country*, Baltimore, Thomsen Ellis, 1923, 23-33.

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1924

Acts of the General Assembly, Jan. 6, 1639-40. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 4 (January 1924), 16-35; (July 1924), [145]-62.

Taken from a copy of the acts made by Conway Robinson in 1829, now in the Virginia State Library.

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Randolph, John (1727-1784). A treatise on gardening, by a citizen of Virginia. Edited by M[arjorie] F[leming] Warner. Richmond, Appeals Press, 1924. 54 p.

William Parks Club Publications, edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College, No. 2.

"An edition of 500 copies."

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Vital facts about Jamestown, Yorktown, Williamsburg [and the] College of William and Mary. [n.p., 1924?] [4] p.

A chronological arrangement of important events.

[63]

1925

Charles Bellini, first professor of Modern Languages in an American college. Correspondence of Jefferson and Bellini. Settlement of Bellini's estate. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2). v. 5 (January 1925), [1]-29.

Bellini's letters were translated by N. G. Nardini.

[64]

Eulogy of Inspector-General Coste; annotated by Earl Gregg Swem. *The Americana Collector*, v. 1 (October 1925), [11-12].

Comments on Jean Francois Coste's oration of 1783: "De antiqua medica philosophia orbi novo adatanda . . ."

[65]

Letters of Rev. James Madison, president of the College of William and Mary, to Thomas Jefferson. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 5 (April 1925), [77]-95; (July 1925), [145]-58.

[66]

Livingston, William (1723-1790). A brief consideration of New York, with respect to its natural advantages, its superiority in several instances over some of the neighboring colonies: by William Livingston. Reprinted from the Independent Reflector, 1753. Edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College. Metuchen, N. J., Printed for C. F. Heartman, 1925. 24 p.

Heartman's historical series, no. 39.

"Forty-one copies printed."

[67]

1926

Description of the mace of William and Mary College, by E. G. Swem, Librarian. Williamsburg, Va., For sale by the Library of William and Mary College, 1926. [4] p.

Reprinted, with some changes, in *The American Collector*, v. 4 (September 1927), 215-17.

Reissued in 1937.

[68]

Letter of Sir Francis Wyatt, Governor of Virginia, 1621-1626  
*William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 6 (April 1926),  
114-21.

"This letter is from the Wyatt manuscripts in the possession  
of the Earl of Romney . . . The date is uncertain, but some-  
time between October 24, 1623, . . . and June 26, 1624."

[69]

Letters of John Clayton, John Bartram, Peter Collinson, William  
Byrd, Isham Randolph. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series  
2), v. 6 (October 1926), 303-25.

[70]

[Markland, J.] *Typographia: an ode on printing*. Reissued in  
photographic facsimile from the Williamsburg edition of 1730.  
Roanoke [Va., Printed by the Stone Printing and Manufactur-  
ing Co.] 1926. [7] p. (Facsimile: iv, [5]-[15] p.)

870 copies printed.

Title page of original work: *Typographia. An Ode, on  
Printing. Inscrib'd to the Honourable William Gooch, Esq.;  
His Majesty's Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander in Chief  
of the Colony of Virginia*. Williamsburg: Printed by William  
Parks. M,DCC,XXX.

"This, the first book in the American Colonies relating to  
the Art of Printing, and one of the earliest issues of the Old  
Dominion, is herewith reproduced in photographic facsimile  
through the courtesy of The John Carter Brown Library, of  
Providence, Rhode Island" (Bibliographical note [3]).

"Introduction" [with notice of William Parks and John (?)  
Markland], [5-7].

[71]

Noah Webster to James Madison; contributed by E. G. Swem, Librarian, William and Mary. *The Americana Collector*, v. 1 (February 1926), 170-71.

Text of Webster's letter of July 5, 1784, in support of a copyright law for Virginia.

[72]

Papers of Archibald Stuart. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 5 (October 1925), 285-99.

A series of letters addressed to Stuart from Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Marshall, and others. Continued in *Ibid.*, v. 6 (January 1926), 80-85. The letters were reprinted from the *Staunton Spectator*, May-June 1879.

[73]

Portraits in the Library and Chapel of William and Mary College, by E. G. Swem, Librarian. [Williamsburg] For sale by the Library, 1926. 8 p.

See also editions of 1927 and 1936.

[74]

Virginia editions of acts and journals of Congress; by E. G. Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College. *The Americana Collector*, v. 2 (May 1926), 309.

[75]

Wroth, Lawrence C. William Parks, printer and journalist of England and Colonial America; with a list of the issues of his several presses and a facsimile of the earliest Virginia imprint known to be in existence. Richmond, Appeals Press, 1926. 70 p.

William Parks Club Publications, edited by Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College, No. 3.

"An edition of 300 copies."

Facsimile of William Gooch, *A charge to the grand jury*, Williamsburg, M,DCC,XXX; [31-34].

[76]

1927

Documents [of] Sir Francis Wyatt, Governor, 1621-1626. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 7 (January 1927), 42-47.

From the Wyatt manuscripts in possession of the Earl of Romney. The series is continued in *Ibid.*, v. 7 (April 1927), 125-31; (July 1927), 204-14; (October 1927), 246-54; and v. 8 (January 1928), 48-57.

[77]

Early book auctions in Virginia; contributed by E. G. Swem. *The American Collector*, v. 3 (January 1927), 157-59.

[78]

Letters of Edward Coles. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 7 (January 1927), 32-41; (April 1927), 97-113; (July 1927), 158-73.

[79]

The lost vouchers of George Rogers Clark; by E. G. Swem, Librarian, William and Mary College. *Virginia Journal of Education*. v. 20 (June 1927), 424.

[80]

Portraits in the Library, Chapel and Phi Beta Kappa Hall of William and Mary College. Second edition. By E. G. Swem,



Librarian. [Williamsburg, Va.] William and Mary College,  
1927. 8 p.

[81]

1928

Dictionary of American Biography; under the auspices of the  
American Council of Learned Societies . . . New York, C.  
Scribner's sons, 1928-1944. 21 v.

The following biographical sketches were written by Earl G.  
Swem:

"James Blair," II, 335-37.

"John Blair, 1687-1771," II, 337.

"John Blair, 1732-1800," II, 337-38.

"Richard Bland," II, 354-55.

"Theodorick Bland," II, 356-7.

[82]

Exhibition of historical portraits, 1585-1830, at Virginia House,  
Richmond, Va. Bulletin No. 1. *Virginia Magazine of History  
and Biography*, 36 (July 1928), 223-25.

Signed by George Cole Scott, Chairman; Dr. Earl G. Swem,  
Executive Secretary.

[83]

Letters of Moncure Robinson to his father, John Robinson, of  
Richmond, Va., Clerk of Henrico Court. *William and Mary  
Quarterly* (series 2), v. 8 (April 1928), [71]-95; (July 1928),  
[143]-56; and v. 9 (January 1929), 13-33.

[84]

The passing of John Lesslie Hall of the College of William and  
Mary. *Virginia Journal of Education*, v. 21 (April 1928), 361-  
362.

[85]

Some notes on the four forms of the oldest building of William and Mary College, by E. G. Swem, Librarian of William and Mary College. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 8 (October 1928), [217]-307.

A chronological grouping of notes, "collected for the use of the President of the College, the Board of Visitors, and the architect and builders," from 1695 to 1903, taken from "The Minutes of the Faculty, and of the well-known sources containing references to the College." Also includes photographs, prints and plans of the various forms of the building.

[86]

Vital facts about Jamestown, Yorktown, Williamsburg, College of William and Mary. [n. p., 1928]. [4] p.

[87]

#### 1930

The armorial ensigns of the College of William and Mary in Virginia. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 10 (April 1930), 161-3.

Includes a color reproduction of the coat of arms as originally granted in 1694.

[88]

Founding of first Virginia Gazette; short history of the early days of this newspaper, as written by Earl G. Swem, Librarian of William and Mary College. *Virginia Gazette* (Williamsburg), new series, v. 1, no. 1 (January 10, 1930), p. 1.

[89]

[Review of] Lester J. Cappon, Bibliography of Virginia history

since 1865. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 10 (October 1930), 361-62.

[90]

[Review of] Philip A. Bruce, the Virginia Plutarch. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 10 (October 1930), 362-63.

[91]

Speeches of students of the College of William and Mary delivered May 1, 1699. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 10 (October 1930), 323-37.

Five speeches delivered before an audience including Governor Nicholson, members of the Council, and members of the House of Burgesses.

[92]

Supplementary documents giving additional information concerning the four forms of the oldest building of William & Mary College. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 10 (January 1930), 68-86.

[93]

Weddell, Alexander W., ed. A memorial volume of Virginia historical portraiture, 1585-1830; . . . with an introduction by Ellen Glasgow, and a review of early American portraiture by Thomas B. Clarke. Richmond, William Byrd Press, 1930. 556 p.

An edition of one thousand copies.

"This volume commemorates an exhibition of contemporary portraits of personages associated with the history of Virginia between the years 1585-1830, held in Virginia House, Richmond, under the auspices of the Virginia Historical Society,

between April 26 and May 27, 1929" ([vii]). "Committee in charge of the exhibition of historical portraits, 1928-29 [Earl Gregg Swem, Virginia, Executive Secretary]" ([ix]).

"The Honourable Robert Boyle," [by E. G. Swem], 126-27.

"John Robinson (The Speaker)," [by E. G. Swem], 169-70.

"Appendix IV. A brief bibliography of Virginia. A list of some of the general works relating to the Colony and Commonwealth [compiled by E. G. Swem]," [441]-65. "The titles included in this list have been selected because of their general nature. Most of the biographies of individuals and all genealogies of particular families have been omitted" ([441]). Four hundred and thirty-three works are cited.

[94]

William and Mary College. Recently discovered documents. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 10 (July 1930), 239-53.

Documents dating from 1691-1705, "from the copies made under the direction of the Library of Congress from the copies in the records of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in London."

[95]

### 1931

Letters of Thomas Jefferson and William Short. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 11 (July 1931), 242-50.

Includes the text of approximately one-hundred letters, 1785-1792, printed for the first time, from a group of Jefferson-Short manuscripts presented to the College Library by Miss Mary Churchill Short, of Louisville, Kentucky.

The series is continued in *Ibid.*, v. 11 (October 1931), 336-42;

v. 12 (April 1932), 145-56; (October 1932), 287-304; and v. 13 (April 1933), 98-116.

[96]

Letters of Wm. H. Garland and Samuel M. Garland, students at William and Mary College, 1823-24. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 11 (April 1931), 136-45.

[97]

Virginia historical portraiture; a review by E. G. Swem, LL.D. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 39 (January 1931), 90-96.

Reprinted in *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 11 (April 1931), 174-80.

[98]

### 1933

Report of the Capitol committee [of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities], E. G. Swem, Chairman. December 30, 1933. In its *Yeare Booke* (1931-1933), 38-41.

Also published in the *Richmond News Leader*, January 9, 1934.

[99]

### 1934

Virginia Historical Index, in two volumes; by E. G. Swem, Librarian of the College of William and Mary. Roanoke, Va., Designed, printed, and bound by the Stone Printing and Manufacturing Company, 1934-1936. 2 v.

Volume two published in 1936.

Four hundred and twenty-five copies printed.

"*The Virginia Historical Index* is an analysis of the information that relates to Virginia and Virginians in the following books: *The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 1-38, 1893-1930; the *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, first series, edited by Dr. L. G. Tyler, v. 1-27, 1892-1919; the *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, second series, v. 1-10, 1921-1930; Tyler's *Quarterly Historical and Genealogical Magazine*, v. 1-10, 1919-1929; *Virginia Historical Register and Literary Advertiser*, v. 1-6, 1895-1906; Henning's *Statutes at Large*, being a collection of all the laws of Virginia, 1619-1792, v. 1-13; *Calendar of Virginia State Papers* and other manuscripts preserved in the Capitol at Richmond, 1652-1869, v. 1-11.

The founders of the *Index* are sixteen members of the Virginia Historical Society, whose contributions established a fund that enabled the editor to begin the work of compilation. The chairman of this group is Mr. Fairfax Harrison. Additions to the fund by some of the original contributors and by the Rockefeller foundation have assured publication" (Preface, v. I, ix).

"... a few observations . . . on the character and value of the eight series of source material selected for indexing," v. I, ix-x.

"Bibliographical description of the volumes indexed in the *Virginia Historical Index*," v. I, xv-xix; v. II, ix-xii.

"Nothing quite comparable with this publication has ever been produced in the field of American historiography. As a tool of trade, serving alike the historian, local investigator, genealogist, biographer, journalist, novelist, and essayist, this index to one hundred and twenty volumes of literary and textual material relating to every phase of life in Virginia for more than three hundred years is beyond price. Time cannot abate its usefulness or bring a rival into existence, for what it



has accomplished could not be better done nor will it ever need to be done again. . . ." (Charles M. Andrews, *American Historical Review*, v. 40 [April 1935], 520.)

[100]

1935

Vital facts about Jamestown, Yorktown, Williamsburg, College of William and Mary (Revised 1935). [n. p. . , 1935?] [4] p.  
[101]

1936

A. L. A. visitors to Williamsburg *Library Journal*, v. 61 (March 15, 1936), 235-36.

Information for members of the American Library Association intending to visit Williamsburg and the College of William and Mary after the annual conference.

[102]

Catalog of portraits in the Library and in other buildings of William and Mary College; by E. G. Swem, Librarian. Williamsburg, Va., 1936. 62 p.

The *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary, v. 30, No. 6, August 1936.

[103]

[Review of] Clayton Torrence, Old Somerset on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 16 (January 1936), [108]-109.

[104]

[Review of] D. C. McMurtrie, The beginning of printing in Virginia. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 16 (January 1936), [108]-109.

[105]

[Review of] D. K. Jackson, The contributors and contributions to the Southern Literary Messenger. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 16 (April 1936), 331-32.

[106]

*Reviews of Virginia Historical Index*. [Roanoke, Va., The Stone Printing and Manufacturing Company, 1936] 11 p.

Excerpts of reviews from *American Historical Review* (April 1935), Library of Congress, *Annual Report* (1935), *Richmond News Leader*, *Library World* (London), and *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography* (January 1935).

[107]

*Virginia Historical Index* [a publisher's prospectus]. Roanoke, Va., Stone Printing and Manufacturing Co. [1936?] 8 p.

Includes portions of the reviews by Leonard L. Mackall in the *New York Herald Tribune*, March 15, 1936; and Douglas Southall Freeman in the *Richmond News Leader*, March 26, 1936.

[108]

1937

Charles City houses [eighteen views of typical homes standing in Charles City County . . . from original photographs made by R. M. Allyn, Photographer of the State Conservation Development Commission]. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 17 (January 1937), between [90-91].

[109]

Description of the mace of the College of William and Mary in Virginia. By E. G. Swem, Librarian. [Williamsburg] 1937. [4] p.

[110]

Ewing, William C. The sports of Colonial Williamsburg. Richmond, Dietz Press, 1937. 39 p.

Dedication: "To Earl G. Swem, Litt. D., Librarian of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, whose monumental work 'The Virginia Historical Index' has facilitated research in Virginia."

[111]

Geiger, Joseph R. The honor system in colleges, by Joseph Roy Geiger, later professor of Philosophy and Psychology, College of William and Mary. Williamsburg, 1937. 30 p.

The *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, v. 31, No. 4, April 1937.

"Introductory Note [by] E. G. Swem, Editor of the *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary," [3].

[112]

Madison, James (1749-1812). An oration in commemoration of the founders of William and Mary College, August 15, 1772; by J. Madison, student. Williamsburg, 1937. 13 p.

The *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, v. 31, No. 7, November 1937.

"Introductory Note [by] E. G. Swem, editor of the *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary," 5.

Title-page of original work: *An oration, in commemoration of the founders of William and Mary College, delivered on the*

*the anniversary of its foundation, August 15, 1772. By J. Madison, student.* Williamsburg: Printed by William Rind, M,DCC,LXXII.

[113]

Old houses in James City County; plates 1-22. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 17 (July 1937), between 528-29.

[114]

Old houses in New Kent County; plates 1-23. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 17 (April 1937), between 284-5; plates 24-53 in *Ibid.*, v. 17 (July 1937), between 370-71.

[115]

[Review of] F. N. Mason (ed.), John Norton and son, Merchants of London and Virginia. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 17 (October 1937), 529-30.

[116]

1938

Fairfax Harrison [a biographical sketch with a bibliography of his works]. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (April 1938), [242]-250.

[117]

Heinemann, Charles Brunk. Davis families of the southern states . . . compiled by Charles Brunk Heinemann. Chicago, Ill. [1938?] 2 v.

Type-written (carbon copy).

"Davis names in *Virginia Historical Index*, by Dr. E. G. Swem" (photostatic copy of pp. 529-534 of the *Index*) inserted in v. I.

Copy not seen. Description from Library of Congress catalog card.

[118]

Old houses in Charles City, New Kent, Warwick, and Elizabeth City Counties; plates 1-30. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (April 1938), after [268].

[119]

Old houses in James City and King William Counties; plates 1-37. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (July 1938), after [388].

[120]

Old houses in James City, York and Warwick Counties; plates 1-23. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (January 1938), after [148].

[121]

Old houses in King William County; plates 1-32. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (October 1938), after [532].

[122]

The Peter Chapin collection of books on dogs: a short-title list by Howard M. Chapin [edited by E. G. Swem]. Williamsburg, 1938. 131 p.

The *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary, v. 32, No. 7, November 1938.

"Introductory note [by] E. G. Swem": [3]-4.

The Peter Chapin Collection bookplate: following 130.

[123]

Proposed history of William and Mary College. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (October 1938), 48.

[124]

[Review of] Brooke Payne, The Paynes of Virginia. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 18 (January 1938), 146.

[125]

1939

Joseph E. Johnston papers in the Library of William and Mary College. John Marshall papers in the Library of William and Mary College. By E. G. Swern, Librarian. Williamsburg, 1939. 19 p.

The *Bulletin* of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, v. 33, No. 7, November 1939.

"Joseph E. Johnston papers," 3-11; "John Marshall papers," 12-19.

[126]

[Review of] C. G. Chamberlayne (ed.), The Vestry book and register of St. Peter's Parish, New Kent and James City Counties, Virginia, 1684-1786. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 19 (January 1939), 103-4.

[127]

[Review of] M. H. Coleman, St. George Tucker, citizen of no mean city. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 19 (January 1939), 113-14.

[128]

1940

Historical manuscripts in the Library of the College of William and Mary. *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 20 (July 1940), [388]-90.

[129]

In memoriam, Robert Morton Hughes, 1855-1940; a tribute by Alpha chapter of Phi Beta Kappa of the College of William and Mary, 1940. [Williamsburg 1940] 19 p.



"Resolutions of Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, College of William and Mary in Virginia," [3]-6 (by E. G. Swem, R. L. Morton and T. J. Stubbs).

Robert Hunt Land, "Biographical sketch of Robert Morton Hughes, 1855-1940," 7-19.

[130]

Letters of George Washington to Lord Dunmore, *William and Mary Quarterly* (series 2), v. 20 (April 1940), [161]-66.

From originals presented to the College by the eighth Earl of Dunmore.

[131]

[Review of] Three Americanists: Henry Harris, bibliographer; George Brinley, book collector; Thomas Jefferson, librarian. By Randolph G. Adams. *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 64 (April 1940), 281-82.

[132]

#### 1941

A provisional list of alumni, grammar school students, members of the faculty, and members of the board of visitors of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, from 1693 to 1888. Issued as an appeal for additional information. Richmond, Division of purchase and printing, 1921. 57 p.

"Foreword" [by E. G. Swem], 3-4.

[133]

#### 1944

Dr. Swem to retire in June; College Librarian since 1920. *Alumni*

*Gazette* (College of William and Mary), v. 11 (May 1944), [1]-2.

[134]

Morton, Richard L and Margaret Galphin. Earl Gregg Swem: Librarian, bibliographer. Scholar surrenders his administrative duties at College of William and Mary to devote full time to research. *Richmond Times Dispatch* (June 4, 1944), sect. D, p. 5.

[135]

One college library's services to a faculty. *College and Research Libraries*. v. 5 (March 1944), 140-41.

[136]

#### 1945

Clemons, Harry. Retirement of Earl Gregg Swem. *College and Research Libraries*, v. 6 (June 1945), 256-57.

[137]

Mason, George Carrington. Colonial Churches of Tidewater Virginia, by George Carrington Mason, Historiographer, Diocese of Southern Virginia. Richmond, Whittet and Shepperson, 1945. 381. p.

Dedicated "To Earl Gregg Swem."

"Foreword [by] E. G. Swem," vii.

"Based on a study . . . first published in the William and Mary Quarterly . . . 1938-1943."

[138]

#### 1946

Itinerant observations. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 54 (October 1946), [344].

Establishing the author of the "Itinerant Observations," cited in E. G. Swem's "Views of Yorktown" (*infra*), as Edward Kimber.

[139]

Mason, Polly Cary (comp.). Records of colonial Gloucester County, Virginia; a collection of abstracts from original documents concerning the lands and people of colonial Gloucester County. Newport News, Virginia, Mrs. G. C. Mason, 1946-48. 2 v.

"Foreword [by] E. G. Swem," v. I, vii; v. II, vii.

[140]

[Review of] Executive journals of the Council of colonial Virginia, v. V, November 1, 1739—May 7, 1754; ed. by Wilmer L. Hall. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 54 (October 1946), [345]-347.

[141]

[Review of] Newport News' 325 years. A record of the progress of a Virginia community. Edited by Alexander C. Brown. *Newport News Daily Press*, December 1, 1946, sect. A, p. 7.

[142]

Views of Yorktown and Gloucester town, 1755, in the Library of the Mariners' Museum, Newport News, Virginia. By E. G. Swem, Librarian Emeritus, William and Mary College. Newport News, Va., The Mariners's Museum, 1946. 12 p.

Museum publication, No. 14.

Reprinted from the *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 54 (April 1946), [99]-105.

A description of the manuscript volume containing the drawings, by an unknown artist, entitled "Voyage of H. M. S. Success and H. M. S. Norwich to Nova Scotia and Virginia, 1754-1756."

[143]

1947

Sweeny, William Montgomery. Wills of Rappahannock County, Virginia, 1656-1692. By William Montgomery Sweeny. [Lynchburg, Va., J. P. Bell Company, 1947]. 179 p.

"Introduction [by] E. G. Swem," vii-viii.

[144]

Willoughby, Edwin Elliott. *Fifty printers' marks*. Berkeley, California, The Book arts club, 1947. 153 p.

Dedicated "To Earl Gregg Swem, Librarian—Bibliographer—Historian."

[145]

1948

Collinson, Peter, 1694-1768. Brothers of the spade; correspondence of Peter Collinson, of London, and of John Custis, of Williamsburg, Virginia, 1734-1746. By E. G. Swem. Worcester, Mass., American Antiquarian Society, 1949. [17]-190 p.

Reprinted from the American Antiquarian Society, *Proceedings*, v. 58 (1948).

Bibliographical note, 109-28.

Reviewed in the *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 57 (July 1949), 337-39; and *Tyler's Quarterly*, v. 31 (July 1949), 59-62.

Reprinted: Barre, Mass., 1957.

[146]

The observations on the "Virginia Historical Index" by Dr. Howard Mumford Jones in his address on "Desiderata in Colonial Literary History," by E. G. Swem. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 56 (July 1948), [314]-332.

[147]

[Review of] Guide to the manuscript collections in the Duke University Library; prepared by Nannie M. Tilley, . . . Noma Lee Goodwin. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 56 (April 1948), 221-29.

A favorable review of this guide to manuscripts, closing with strictures on the "inertia and indifference" of those who allowed certain records to leave the state. "To some of us, as we glance over the titles of the Virginia manuscripts in this collection, the query arises, how come? By what authority could 6,600 items and 9 volumes of Franklin County, Virginia, Court records migrate to Duke University, either by gift or purchase? . . ."

See "Appendix to review," 226-29, containing "selected titles of the more important Virginia items."

See also extracts printed with title: "Lost legacy: Virginia's manuscripts," in *Richmond Times-Dispatch*, July 18, 1948, sect. D, p. 7; and editorial, "How did Virginia lose them?" in *Ibid.*, July 22, 1948, p. 10.

[148]

[Review of] The history and present state of Virginia; edited with an introduction by Louis B. Wright. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 56 (January 1948), [89]-98.

See especially the notes on "the reprint editions of the few comprehensive writings of recognized and established authorities concerning Virginia, originating before 1816," [89]-[91].

[149]

[Review of] Virginia's mother Church and the political conditions under which it grew: an interpretation of the records of the Colony of Virginia and of the Anglican Church of that Colony, 1607-1727. By George MacLaren Brydon. *American Historical Review*, v. 53 (July 1948), 833-34.

[150]

1949

Kentuckians at William and Mary College before 1861 with a sketch of the College before that date. By E. G. Swem, Librarian Emeritus, William and Mary College. A paper read before the Filson Club on December 6, 1948. [Louisville, Ky., 1949] 30 p.

Reprinted from the *Filson Club History Quarterly* (July 1949). Bibliographical references included in "Notes," 191-98.

[151]

Library of College of William and Mary received books prior to its chartering. Originally housed in the Wren building, library was completely destroyed by fire. [A sketch of the College Library] By E. G. Swem, Librarian Emeritus. *Virginia Gazette*, new series, v. 20 (July 1949), 17-18 ("Historical supplement commemorating the 250th anniversary of the founding of Williamsburg, 1699-1949.")

[152]

Morpurgo, Jack Eric. *American Excursion*. London, The Cresset Press, 1949. 255 p.

Dedicated "To Earl Gregg Swem and David Roberts—Two who encouraged the *Excursion*," p. [ii].

[153]



[Review of] Virginia and Maryland . . . 1670. Surveyed and exactly drawne by . . . Augustin Herrman, Bohemiensis. . . . A facsimile of the original map in the John Carter Library. *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, v. 57 (July 1949), 339-41.

[154]

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